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& Private Secy to H.H. the Maha
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FILE HEADING.

Visit of H.E. the Viceroy.

From

The Private Secy to H.H.

No. 840 Dated 13-12-20 Received 20-12-20

Diary No. 13309 Enclos. 1 file Spare Copies. - Serial No. 1178

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Forwarding for sanction a bill for Rs. 75 on account of the supply of milk &c to the Viceroy's camp during the recent Viceroy's visit which was returned by the Comptroller unaudited.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

Subd with a draft sanction for approval or other orders.

As regards the rate claimed for the milk supplied it may be mentioned

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that it would have perhaps been much cheaper even if Govt had purchased some good cows and sold them after the need for them was over.

4. For a supply of about ~~[illegible]~~ 200 seers of milk a day 868 cows & 86 buffaloes had been collected at Hansi. This clearly shows that no proper selection cows was made.

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Chief Secy

For approval.

Dewan

Draft appd by Dewan 28/12

Issue

1824 To the Dy Comr Hisar (2) P. Secy to HH (3) Civil Surg No G 12689-91/D7.14.11.2

Sanction the bill app to in 1178 directs that the articles purchased in

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with the arrangement for the supply of milk should be sold by auction proceeds credited to Govt

CHIEF OFFICE POLITICAL BRANCH 5 JAN. 1921

No. 840

OFFICE OF THE PRIVATE SECRETARY
TO H. H. THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

Dated, *Mysore*, 13th December 1920.

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DIARY NO.

FROM

R. H. CAMPBELL, Esq., C.I.E.,
Private Secretary to H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

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CHIEF SECRETARIAT
POLITICAL BRANCH
14 DEC. 1920

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14 DEC 1920

To

C.S. Balasundaram Iyer, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of Mysore, Bangalore.

Sir,

In forwarding herewith a bill amounting to Rs 2737-6-3 for supply of milk &c to the Karapur Camp during the recent Viceregal visit, I have the honor to state that the bill in question which was forwarded to the Comptroller to the Government of Mysore for audit and payment has been returned unadited as the balance of the allotment viz Rs 2217-13-11 is not sufficient to admit the full amount of the bill and for want of sanction of Government to admit the amount in excess of the balance of the allotment available (vide copy of letter No. T.A.D.A. 887 dated 8th December 1920 herewith sent). I request therefore that you will be so good as to obtain sanction of Government to admit in audit the amount of the accompanying bill and to forward the same to the Comptroller for audit and enfacement for payment to me at the Mysore District Treasury.

The circumstances under which the high rate charged for milk had to be admitted are explained in detail in letter No. V 151 dated 5/6th April 1920 received from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District

District, copy of which is herein enclosed for reference

I have the honor to be,

S i r,

Your most obedient servant,

for Private Secretary.

No. T.A.A 887 / file of bills

Office of the Comptroller to the Govt. of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore 8-12-20.

From

The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore, Bangalore.

To

The Private Secretary to H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore, Mysore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 789 dated 27th November 1920, forwarding for audit and payment a bill for Rs 2737-6-3, I have the honor to state that out of the allotment of Rs 2,38,681-3-4 bills to the extent of Rs 2,36-463-5-5 have already been passed, thus leaving a balance of only Rs 2217-13-11 not sufficient to admit the full amount.

As the amount of this bill is Rs 2,737-6-3 sanction of Government may kindly be obtained for admitting the amount in excess of the allotment.

In the bill prepared by the Amildar a sum of Rs 1,233-9-5 is claimed for the supply of 1210 seers of milk at the rate of Rs 1-0-4 per seer. On the reverse of the bill as additional sum of Rs 404-15-3 is charged at Re 0-5-4 a seer. The total rate thus claimed is Rupees 1-5-8 a seer. The circumstances under which milk was purchased at such a high rate may be kindly intimated.

As the final accounts in connection with the Viceregal visit have to be submitted to Government, I request that you will kindly forward at once any bills that you may still have on hand, obtaining additional allotment therefor.

"Copy"

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Sd/- L. Bishtopanth Badami

Deputy Comptroller.

Office of the Deputy Commissioner
Mysore District,
Dated, Mysore, 5th/6th April 1920

From

The Deputy Commissioner,
Mysore District, Mysore.

To

The Private Secretary to H.H. the Maharaja
of Mysore, Mysore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 1674 dated the 1st instant, asking that the Amildar of Heggadadevankote be asked to send in a more reasonable bill for the milk supplied to Karapur Camp, and stating that Re 1-0-4 a seer is too high a charge, I beg to state as follows:-

2. I have gone very carefully into this matter with the Amildar of Heggadadevankote, and Mr. B. Krishna Rao, Amildar of Nagamangala, who was on special milk duty

3. When the Camp was in full swing, we were just able to supply the quantity of milk required.

4. To be able to accomplish this, we had to commandeer from 5 Taluks of Heggadadevankote, Hunsur, Chamarajanagar, Gundlupet and Nanjangud, 868 cows and 86 buffaloes with their calves, and purchase pails and buckets and pots, lanterns and other etceteras to keep the temporary dairy-farm going.

5. You will, I hope admit that having taken possession of these cattle for the time being from the owners we were responsible for feeding them, as well as the men who brought the cows to Camp, who were not the owners.

6. As you are aware, the price of ragi and straw was very high last November, and our expenses in connection with feeding the cattle and the men plus incidental charges that I have ~~done it for less consideri~~

indicated, came to R 2462/-. I don't think any one could have done it for less considering the number of cattle that had to be brought to Camp, and the distance we were away from Mysore, practically 50 miles out in the jungle. Now this commandeering of cows could not all be done in one day. It was impossible to arrange for them all arriving together. It was unavoidable that they came in driblets.

The cows began arriving in Camp 15 days before the Camp opened, only 18 seers of milk were secured the first day, but it gradually worked up to about 300 seers a day.

7. It was found impossible to sell the milk before the Camp opened so it was converted into curds, butter and ghee but there being practically no market, it had to be disposed of for a very small sum.

8. Altogether, we secured 4169 seers of milk. Out of this amount, a considerable quantity was converted into butter and ghee, and sold for R. 262/-. A certain amount, milk being a delicate article went bad, while some was lost owing to pots breaking when boiling and other causes. In this way, 2545 seers were accounted for. Of the balance, 1624 seers of milk was sold to Government House, the Palace and to a few other individuals and Departments. Deducting the R. 262/- mentioned above from the sum of R 2462/-, we arrive at the figure that 1624 seers supplied cost R 2200/-, or R 1-5-8 per seer.

9. This is no doubt a high figure to pay for milk but you must take into consideration the difficulties that were experienced to procure it at all, and the high price of every-thing.

10. As executive Officers, we are asked to carry out, at times somewhat anusual affairs, and if we fail we are blamed. In this connection, I think I may say that there was not a single word of complaint about

about the milk supply to that big Camp at Karapur, and if in succeeding in our endeavour, it has cost a bit of money, I think, it should be paid without question as it would not have been done for less, or more satisfactorily as the result turned out.

11. I hope I have explained the situation clearly and trust that you will not object to pay Rs1-5-8 per se for the 1210 seers supplied to you.

12. It was only on receipt of your letter and on going thoroughly into the matter, that I found that the Amildar of Heggadadevankote had in fact charged you too little for the milk.

I am sorry that I have to increase the bill, but it could not be helped under the circumstances.

I have the honor to be,

S i r,

Your most obedient servant,

Sd/- P.F.Bowring

Deputy Commissioner.

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Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

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Item— Letter No 840 of the 13th Decr 1920 forwarding a bill for Rs 2737-6-3 for supply of Tuck etc to the Nanjapur Camp during the Viceregal visit which was returned by the Comptroller unaudited for want of Govt Sanction ~~Order Thereon No~~ to admit the amount in excess of the balance of the allotment available and requesting sanction to the amount of

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i Printed ?

ii treated as a standing order ?

iii published in the Gazette, English Part ?

iv translated ?

v placed at the disposal of the pre

vi published in the Gazette, Kannada Part ?

the bill being admitted in audit.

Order No. 712689-91

Sanctioned.

2. Sanction is also accorded as a very special case to the payment at Rs 1-5-8 a seer for ~~[illegible]~~ tiger supposed to be a man-eater during the Viceregal visit.

3. The articles such as lanterns, buckets &c stated to have been purchased in connection with the arrangements for the supply of tigers should be sold by auction and proceeds credited to Govt.

List of enclosures.

Copied by

Examined by

Chief Secy

28-12-20

WD 1744—GPB—30,000—17-3-19

The Comptroller to Govt.
The Private Secy to H.H. (with the bill)
The Dy Comr, Insurance Dept.